

**Summary of Staff Funding Recommendations
for Competitive Grant Programs**

The following pages contain the staff funding recommendations for the Recreational Trails Program-Motorized Portion (RTP), and the Growing Smarter State Trust Land Acquisition Grant Program (GS). Using the rating criteria approved by the Board, a rating team scored the applications in each program. All projects and scope items recommended for funding are eligible based on guidelines of each program.

The Arizona State Parks Strategic Plan guides staff in making funding recommendations. The Board-approved targets for funding High Priority Projects were established for each grant program. High Priority Projects are defined as projects that score at least 80 out of 100 points in the rating criteria.

A summary of the Staff funding recommendations for the RTP and Growing Smarter Grant programs are outlined below.

In addition, a summary of the Advisory Committee funding recommendations is also provided for the same grant programs.

Staff Recommendations:

Program	Eligible Applications	Requested Grant Funds	Recommended Grant Awards	Amount of Recommended Grant Awards
RTP	3	\$ 521,560	3	\$ 521,560
GS	3	\$ 16,426,144	3	* \$ 8,500,000
Total	6	\$ 16,947,704	6	\$ 9,021,560

Advisory Committee Recommendations:

Group	Eligible Applications	Requested Grant Funds	Recommended Grant Awards	Amount of Recommended Grant Awards
OHVAG	3	\$ 521,560	3	\$ 521,560
CAB	3	\$ 16,426,144	3	* \$ 8,500,000
Total	6	\$ 16,947,704	6	\$ 9,021,560

* For the Growing Smarter Grant Program, the final grant amounts will be based on the Arizona State Land Department final appraisal of the parcels, agreed upon by the applicants (50%), plus no more than 10% for eligible associated costs.